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CHR. DE GUIGNÉ, Manager.

Offices in Hongkong: Bank Buildings, Queen's Road, Hongkong, May 14, 1875.

ONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, ... 5,000,000 Dollars. RESERVE FUND,..... 100,000 Dollars.

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LOCAL BIELS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

JAMES GREIG. Ohief Manager. Offices of the Corporation,

No, 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, February 17, 1876.

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HANDBOOK of Biographical, Historical, Mythological and General Literary Reference,

WILLIAM DREDERIOR MAYERS.

Price: \$8.

Hotoghang, ...... " CHIRA MAIL! OFFICE,

#### Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

Have this day authorized Mr J. Y. V. Shaw to sign my name per procura-A. MACG. HEATON.

Hongkong, January 1, 1876.

NOTICE.

brokers at this Port, under the style of MORRIS & RAY. A. G. MORRIS.

E. C. RAY,

Bank Buildings, Hongkong, February 3, 1876.

NOTICE.

X7E have Established branches of ou Firm at Haiphong and Hanoi, E. Constantin is authorised to sign procuration in Tonquin.

LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, December 31, 1875.

NOTICE.

I HAVE this day Established myself at the Ports of Takow and Taiwanfoo. P. F. DA SILVA.

Formosa, April 1, 1876.

#### Auctions.

GENERAL WEEKLY SALE.

ANE, ORAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, at their Sale Room, Praya, on

#### FRIDAY,

the 7th April, 1876, at Noon,-Brown and Coloured Silk Umbrellas, Tooth Brushes, Sealing Wax, Chisels Lamp-wicks, Black Writing Ink, and Shoe Blacking.

> 20 tins Turpentine. 10 owt. Fine Soft Soap.

10 casks Washing Soda. 20 cases Brandy. 3 Fire-proof Iron Safes. 100 Rifles.

100 Pistols. TERMS OF SALE. - Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars, weighed at 7.1. The Lot or Lots, with all faults and errors

fall of the hammer. Hongkong, April 4, 1876.

NAVAL STATION, MACAO.

N the 10th April Next, at 1 p.m., will be sold by Public Auction, before the Master Attendant, the Hulk, Machinery, Rigging, Masts, Sails, Chains, Anchors Boats and other articles of the Gun-boat "OAMOENS," in lots or in bulk as best suits the interest of the Public Excheques The Sale will take place on Board the said Gun-boat, where the lots may be examined until the 5th of April. Terms of Sale :-Cash on delivery.

Macao, on Board the Gun-boat "Tejo," March 81, 1876. MANOEL CEZARIO PEREIRA Master Attendant's Secretary.

## Intimations.

CHORAL FESTIVAL will be held in S. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL on EASTER TUESDAY, at 4 p.m. Mendelssohn's Cantate "Lauda Sion" will be Sung.

Hongkong, April 4, 1876. HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAU

STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

TIRST Class Fare on the Hongkong and Canton route has been Reduced to \$ for Single trip and \$5 Return. By Order.

P. A. DA COSTA, Secretary. Hongkong, April 8, 1876.

OHINA THADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTIOE.

SPECIAL AGENCY of the Company has heen Opened in London, under the Management of Mr WALDEMAR SCHMIDT, at 8, St. Michael's Alley, Cornhill.

By Order,

W. H. RAY, Secretary. Hongkong, March 28, 1876.

SPANISH CONSULATE, HONGKONG. THENDERS for the CONSTRUCTION of SIX BOILERS for Spanish Men-of-War will be RECEIVED at this Consulate | And are prepare to Supply Fresh and Salt

until the 22nd April next, at Noon. No proposition will be admitted if it Birs and ALES of every description. exceed the price fixed by Government and do not agree with the Form, Conditions, and Plans, which will be exposed at the Uffice of the Consulate every working day from 11 aim. to 8 p.m.

A. FARAUDO. Consul for Spain. Hongkong, March 81, 1678,

### intimations.

NOTICE.

GEORGE BARTY FALCONER.

TOURSUANT to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, Chapter 35, entituled "An firm of GEORGE FALCONER & Co., of Hongkong aforesaid, Jewellers and Opticians, who died on the 5th day of May, 1875, intestate, and of whose Estate and Effects, Letters of Administration were granted by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate in the month of June, 1875, to Isabella Brechen Falconer, of Stonehaven, in the County of Kincardine, Scotland), are hereby required to send in the particulars in writing of such Claims or Demands to Mr. JUHN THOMSON, Advocate, 75, Union Street, Aberdeen, on or before the 80th day of April, 1876, at the expiration of which time the said Administratrix will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT Debts, Claims, and Demands of which she shall then have had Notice; and that she will not be liable for the Assets or any part myl thereof to any person of whose Claim she

> shall not then have had notice. Dated this 25th day of January, 1876. ADAM THOMSON AND ROSS, Advocates, 75, Union Street, Aberdeen, Agents for the said Administratrix. Witness-William Masson.

#### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NTOTICE is hereby given, that all CRE-DITORS and other Persons having CLAIMS or DEMANDS upon or against the Estate of JOHN WOTHER-SPOON, late of Bangkok, in the Kingdom of Siam, who died on the 6th day of July, 1871, and whose Will was duly proved in the Probate Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of Hongkong by WILLIAM HENRY BRERETON, of 29, Queen's Road, Hongkong, Solicitor, to whom Letters of Administration with the Will annexed were duly granted by the said Court on the 10th day of March, 1876, are hereby required to SEND in writing the PARTICULARS of their Claims or Demands to the said Will-LIAM HENRY BRERETON, on or before the 1st day of July next; and notice is hereby also given, that at the expiration of the last mentioned day the said WILLIAM HENRY BRERETON will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said John Wotherspoon amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the Claims of which he has then of description, at purchaser's risk on the had notice; and that the said WILLIAM HENRY BRERETON will not be liable for the Assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose Claims he has not had notice at the time of the distribution. Dated this 29th day of March, 1876.

W. H. BRERETON, 29. Queen's Road, Hongkong, Solicitor.

STAFFORDSHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, OF HANLEY.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £250,000

THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and Shanghai for the above Company, are prepared to issue Policies of Fire Insurance at current

ADAMSON, BELL & Co. Hongkong, March 24, 1876.

THE MERCHANTS' MARINE INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, LIMITED,

OF LONDON. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £500,000.

THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to issue Policies of Marine Insurance at current rates, payable in London, India, Australia, New Zealand, Straits, Mauritius Java, Manila, China,

Japan, California, &c., &c. ADAMSON, BELL & Co. Hongkong, March 24, 1876.

Note. -By the Company's Articles of Association it is provided that, after payment to the shareholders of a dividend of 10 per cent, per annum, one fourth of the residue of profits will be rateably divided amongst those Insurers out of whose business profits have been made during the year.

## NOTICE.

THE Undersigned beg respectfully to inform the Public that they have ap28 Established themselves as BUTCHERS AND GENERAL

COMPRADORES, At No. 1, Graham Street.

PROVISIONS and STORES; also, WINES, SPI-MATHEW & Co. Hongkong, March 25, 1876.

A N INDIAN BUTLER 61 STEWARD, A s native of Petiang, is desirous of an Engagement, either ashore or affoat. Has ample references. Apply to this Office, Hongkong, March 30, 1876.

#### for Sale. FOR SALE.

THE Undermentioned valuable LAND and BUILDINGS on Inland Lot No. 7, situated at 46 and 48, Queen's Road, the Property of the late Mr G. B

FALCONER :-The TWO BLOCKS of BUILDINGS Act to further amend the Law of Property occupying the finest position, are of the NOTICE, and to relieve Trustees," Notice is hereby most commodious description, with TREApartnership from the First day of persons having any CLAIMS or DE. Floors are of Granite, the Buildings are SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports January, 1876, in the Business of Ship- MANDS upon or against the Estate of known to be the most handsome and sub-GRORGE BARTY FALCONER, late of Hong. stantially built Premises in the Colony kong, China, deceased, Sole Partner in the and are all in perfect condition and good

> Applications for Purchase, or further information, to be made to JOHN NOBLE 48, Queen's Road.

FOR SALE, Casks CLARET from BORDEAUX.

Hongkong, March 30, 1876.

Apply to LANDSTEIN & Co.

Hongkong, March 10, 1876. FOR SALE,

THE whole of the Property known as FLETCHER'S. Situate on Marine Nos, 20 and 21, and covering an area 121,304 square feet. Annual Crown Rent about \$1,900. Taxes 1,600.

## Hongkong, April 4, 1876 shipping.

THE BORNEO CON LIMITED.

For further information, apply to

Steamers.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW, The Steamship Captain G. T. WESTORY, will be despatched for the above Ports THURSDAY, the 6th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, April 3, 1878. FOR COOKTOWN AND SYDNEY (Taking throw, h Cargo for MELBOURNE.) The Eastern and Australian Mail Steam Oo. B. "NORMANBY,"

"NORMANBY,"

Captain Reddell, will be
THURSDAY Next despatched as above on THURSDAY Next, the 6th April, at Noon.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, March 31, 1876. FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Nagel, Master, will be de on THURSDAY, the 6th Inst., at 8 p.m. For Freight, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.,

CASTLE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SAIGON. The Steamer

"GLAMIS CASTLE" will be despatched for the above Port on THURSDAY, the 6th For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, April 1876.

Hongkong, April 4, 1876. FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship E. SCHULTZE, Master, will be

despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 7th Instant, at 2 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, April 4, 1876.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Company's Steamship "PATROOLUS" will be despatched on about the 7th April, For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, March 27, 1876. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The Steamship

Capt. Cowir, will be despatched as above on or about the 6th Proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to KONRELL & Co. Hongkong, March 30, 1876.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAL. Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for

HANKOW, NINGPO & PORTS IN JAPAN. The Company's Steamship "AGAMEMNON" will be despatched on about the 9th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Hongkong, April 8; 1876.

# Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The Steamship "QUANGSE," Capt. Jones, will be despatched as above on WEDNES.

DAY, the 12th Proximo, at 2 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, March 21, 1876.

FOR SINGAPORE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. (Calling of Somerset, Cooktown, Cleve-LAND BAY, BOWEN and KEPPEL BAY,

to land Mails and Passengers.) The Eastern and Australian Mail Steam Co.'s Steamer "BOWEN" will be despatched as above

about the 20th April For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, March 31, 1876. NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS The Company's Steamship VOLGA," Captain Nombedeu, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of the next French

MARITIMES.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Acting Agent.

Hongkong, April 3, 1876.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Company's Steamship Captain RAPATEL, will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from Europe. G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Hongkong, April 8, 1876. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, TAMSUI AND

Acting Agent.

TAKAO. The Steamship "HAILOONG," Captain ABBOTT, will hav immediate despatch for the

above Ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, March 29, 1876. FOR YOKOHAMA. The British Steamship "OROHIS." Captain BUTLIN, shortly ex-

pected from Singapore, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to WM. PUSTAU & Co.,

Hongkong, March 29, 1876. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA. (Taking Carge at through rates to

HIOGO & NAGASAKL) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s S, S, " *MALACOA*" will leave for the above place shortly after the arrival of the Gwalior with the next English Mail.

Superintendent. Hongkong, March 30, 1876. STRAM TO SHANGHAL

A. McIVER.

A. McIVER,

RUSSELL & Co.

Superintendent,

The P. & O. S. N. Co. 8 8. 8 will leave for the above place about 24 hours after her arrival with the next English Mail.

Hongkong, March 80, 1876. Sailing Vessels.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Ship PALMER, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will ap6 have quick dispatch. For Freight, apply to

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 British Ship The A 1 British Ship
"SHALIMAR,"
WALKER, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick dispatch.

Hongkong, March 4, 1878.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 4, 1876.

shipping.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Ship 11 "MARY WHITRIDGE" OUTLER, Master, will load here

have quick dispatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

for the above Port, and will

Hongkong, March 9, 1876. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 1 British Ship MARGARITE,"

JAMES OWEN, Master, will load for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

Hongkong, March 27, 1876, 3 ... FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Bark "JONATHAN CHASE," OURTIS, Master, will load for the above Port, and will have

quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, March 27, 1876.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO The A1 British Clipper Ship FRANK BRISTOW, Meater, will the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to dans

VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, March 4, 1876. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A-1 American Ship

Ray T. Lewis, Master, will load for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

Hongkong, February 1, 1876 FOR PORTLAND (OREGON.) The A-1 American Ship The A-1 American Ship
SAMUEL G. REED,
WHITE, Master, will load for the above Port, and will have quick despatch,

For Freight, apply to

VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, February 1, 1876. FOR NEW YORK The A-1 American Ship WILKINSON, Master, will load

here and at Whampos, and will

have quick despatch as above. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, February 1, 1876.

FOR HAMBURG. The A 1 German Barque "NICOLINE 313 Tons Register, Captain AELMANN, will load here and at Whampos, and will have quick despatch as above. For Freight, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, February 23, 1876. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship SHITH, Master, will load here sand at Whampon, and will have quick despatch as above. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, March 27, 1876. NOTICE. The Undermentioned Vessels having the greater portion of their Cargo and Passengers

VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

engaged, will have immediate dispatch for the following Ports. FOR VICTORIA, V.'s I. The British Barque "FORWARD." Captain John Stracham. The British Ship

Captain Robert More. FOR PORTLAND, OREGON. The American Barque "GARIBALDI," Captain C. M. Noyes. The American Bark

"ANNIE GRAY,"

"EDWARD JAMES." Captain Thos. J. Forses. FOR HONOLULU, S. 1. AND SAN FRANCISCO. The American Bark

"ALDEN BESSE," Captain ALLER Norms. For Freight or Passage, apply to BOZARIO & De.

Hongkong, Merch 23, 1876,

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

LAND UNDERMENTIONED AND BUILDINGS. AT HONGKONG:-

INLAND Lor 82 -The well-known House and Offices lately occupied by Messrs A. Heard & Co., adjoining the Cathedral Com-

The Ground below the masonry retaining wall of the above, abutting on the Queen's

Annual Crown rent, \$390.48. MARINE LOT 111, WAYOHAL - First-class and extensive Godowns. Annual Crown rent, \$324. AT YOKOHAMA:-

Lors No. 6 and No. 27 in the Foreign Bettlement. No. 6 is situated on the Bund, and comprises an eight-roomed Dwelling House, detached, with Garden all round, Offices, Godowns. Servants' Quarters and Outhouses.

Area 1,064 Tsubos of 36 square feet. Annual Ground rent, \$263.79. No. 27 is separated from No. 6 by Water Street and comprises large Tea Firing and other Godowns, Floss Silk Press, Compradore's Quarters, Stabling and Fire Engine House. Area, 554 Tsubos.

Ground rent, \$154.97 per annum, "Applications for purchase, or further information, to be made to

J. WHITTALL, T. G. LINSTEAD, Trustees A. Heard & Co.'s Estate, 23, Queen's Road, Hongkong. Hongkong, February 1, 1876.

CAYLE & Co. have opened their first delivery of New Goods for the coming Season, to which they invite special atten-

Ladies' and Children's Ready. made Costumes in a variety of Styles.

Morning Wrappers in Embroidered Linen, Printed, Cambric, White Brilliante and Muslin.

French Toilet Jackets. Richly Embroidered Cambric

Skirts. A Large Assortment of Dress

designs. of the latest French Millinery fashions.

Boys' Holland Suits & Pinafores. Ladies' Underclothing.

Ladies' and Children's Boots and Shoes.

A fresh supply of the "Little, Wanzer Sewing Machines.

Agents for Hongkong. SAYLE & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, Queen's Road & Stanley Street.

FOR SALE.

Ex "OOEANIC." Tills Season's American HAMS and BACON in prime condition. Smoked BALMON.

Golden Gate Baker's EXTRA FLOUR in Barrels and Tins. MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. Hongkong, February 19, 1876.

Notices to Consignees.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE British S. S. Hindostan baving arrived from the above ports, Consigness are hereby informed that the General Cargo will be landed by, and into the Godowns of the undersigned at Wanchi whence delivery can be obtained on and after the 6th instant.

Goods remaining in store after the 12th Instant will be subject to rent. Consignees of Upium are requested to take delivery from the boats alongside the Ice House Street Wharf, otherwise the Drug will be stored by the Undersigned at Consigness risk, unprotected by Fire In-

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, April 4, 1876.

S. S. OLYMPIA, FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

MONSIGNEES of Goods by the shows Steamer are heraby notified, that their Cargo is being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the delivery may Undersigned, whence

Goods remaining in store after the 10th Instant will be subject to refit. Optional Cargo will be forwarded ou. unless applied for by the Consignees before 2 p.m. on Monday, the 3rd Inst. Bills of Lading will be countersigned

BIEMESEN & Co.

Hongkong, April 8, 1876. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. Argyll having arrived from the above Ports, Counignees of Cargo Bil's of Lading for countersignature to the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge will be at unce landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, April 4, 1876,

### Notices to Consignees.

FROM YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO.

MHE S. S. Stad Amsterdam, Captain Boon, having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to take immediate delivery of the same, otherwise it will be landed and stored at their risk and expense by the Undersigned.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Agents S. S. Stad Amsterdam. Hongkong, April 3, 1876.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. Glenartney having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk by the Undersigned into their Godowns, whence and from the Wharf or Boats delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be sent on to Shanghai unless notice to the contrary is given before Noon To-morrow, the 4th Inst. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 10th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents S. S. Glenartney. Hongkong, April 3, 1876.

NOTICE.

TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO, EX O. S. S. CO.'s S. S. NESTOR, FROM LIVERPOOL.

CHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 7th Inst., for shipment per S. S. Agamemnon. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, April 3, 1876.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ,

ISMAILA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSEILLES; PONDICHERRY, MADRAS AND

CALCUTTA.

N THURSDAY, the 6th April 1876, at Noon, the Company's S. S. HOOGLY, Commandant Morrem and; with Materials in all the newest MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and OARGO, will leave this Port for the above

> Cargo and Specie will be registered for Condon as well as for Marsellles, and accepted in transit through Marsellles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping orders will be granted till noon,

Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M. on the 5th April, 1876. (Parcels are act to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are re-

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Acting Agent.

Hongkong, March 30, 1876,

Now Ready.

THE CHINA REVIEW, Vol. IV., No. 4.

Subscription, postage included,

Essays on the Chinese Language. The Folk-lore of China. Pao-sze! The Cleopatra of China. An Introduction to a Retrospect of Forty Years of Foreign Intercourse with

One Page from Choo Foo-tsze. The Expedition of the Mongols Against Java in 1293, A.D. The Wry-Necked Tree.

Phallic Worship. Short Notices of New Books and Literary Intelligence.

Notes and Queries on Eastern Matters:-Chinese Anti-Opium Associations. Publications of the Hongkong Corres ponding Committee of the Religi Tract Soc.

Hongkong School-book Committee. Chinese Wills. Chinese Breech-Loading Guns. History of the Maritime Provinces. Books Wanted, Exchanges, &c.

China Mail Office. Hongkong, March 11, 1876. -

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SHANGHAL (Taking Cargo to CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.)

The Steamship "GLENARTNEY," Captain UVLLAND, will leave for the above Port TO-MOR-ROW, the 6th Instant, at 8 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents,

Hongkong, April 5, 1876.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERLES

MARITIMES, NUTICE.

MONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer Tibre from Calcutta are hereby notified that the Cargo will be discharged into Boats by her are hereby requested to send their and landed at the Company's Godowns. In both cases it will lie at the Consignee's fisk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery shortly 7

after her arrival. The above Steamer left Singapore on Saturday, 1st April, for this port. G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Acting Agent, Hongkong, April 5, 1876,

## To-day's Advertisements.

The Young Man.

ITIHE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Members of the Hongkong Club will be held at the CLUB House on THURS-DAY, the 13th Instant, at Half-past Four o'clock in the afternoon. By Order,

EDWARD BEART, Secretary. Hongkong, April 5, 1876.

BHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. April 4, Arratoon Apcar, Brit. steamer. 959, R. Cass, Saigon Mar. 31, Rice .--

SIEMSBEN & Co. April 5, Yesso, British steamer, 559, J E. Punchard, Foochow April 2, Amoy 3, Swatow 4, General. - D. LAPRAIR & Co. April 5, Laclocheterie, French man-ofap10 | war, Riennier, Shanghai April 2.

> DEPARTURES. April 5, Eleanor, for Takao. 5, Formosa (barque), for Tientsin. 5, Union, for Manila. 5, Esmeralda, for Manila.

OLEARED. Memento, for Bangkolt. Cassandra, for Swatow. Namoa, for Swatow, &c. Venice, for Bangkok.

PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. - Per Yesso, Mrs Henningson and family, Mesars Beveridge, Sturrock, Piry, Loslie, Quinn, Harmon, Kragh, and Captain Lenfestry, 7 European deck and 126 Chinese.

Per Arcatoon Apoar, Mr Caloire. DEPARTED. - Per Esmeralda, for Manila, Mr and Mrs Morris and family, Mr and Mrs McKennie, Messrs Mein and Bailey, and 20 Chinese.

To DEPART. -- Per Namoa, 250 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The Brit. str. Arratoon Apcar reports left Cape St. James on the Slat March, and experienced light variable winds and fine weather to the Paracels, thence to port had strong N. E. winds with heavy head sea. Passed the S. S. Riga on the 31st at 5 p.m. off Padaran, 8. S. Hankow at noon on the 1st April, off Pulo Cambie, English mail and S. S. Copenhagen at 5 p.m. same

The British a camer Yesso reports: from Foochow to Amoy moderate N.E. winds and dull cloudy weather, Amoy to Swatow fresh N.E. winds and beavy sea with rainy weather, Swatow to Hongkong fresh N.E. winds and cloudy. Steamers in Foochow: H.M.S. Midge and str. Europe. In Amoy: H.M.S. Lapwing and Mosquito, a Russian corvette, steamers Foochow, Patroclus and Cheang Hock Kiang. In Swatow: steamer Atalanta, the Douglas left at 4 30 p.m. for Amoy. Passed Kwangtung in Min River,

POST OFFICE NOTIFICATINOS.

MAILS WILL GLOSE :--For COOKTOWN AND SYDNEY .-Per NORMANBY, at 11.30 a.m. of Thursday, the 6th Instant.

Mails will also be made up for all parts of East Australia, Tasmania, and Melbourne. Postage, 24 cents. For SHANGHAL-

Per OLYMPIA, at 2.30 p.m. on Thursday, the 6th Inst. For SHANGRAL -Per GLENARTNEY, at 2.30 p.m. Tomorrow, the 6th Inst.

For SHANGHAL .-Per YANGTSZE, at 1.30 p.m. on Friday, the 7th Inst. For SINGAPORE AND PENANG .-

Per KILLARNEY, at 1.30 p.m. on Friday, the 7th Instant. For SAIGON .-Per PARDO, at 3.80 p.m. on Friday, the 7th Inst.

For SAN FRANCISCO .-Per LORD OF THE ISLES, at 5 p.m. on Saturday, the 8th Instant. For YOKOHAMA & SAN FRANCISCO .-Per QUANGSE, at 1.30 p.m. on Wednesday, the 12th April.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET .-The French Contract Packet HOOGHLY will be despatched on THURSDAY the 6th April, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom via Marseilles 1 to Europe, Saigon, Cin-Galle, Madras, Calcutta, Bombay, Aden, Suez, and Alexan-

The following will be the hours of closing the Mails, do. :-Wednesday, 5th spril .-

5 P.M. Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes except the Nicht Box, which remains open all night. Thursday, 6th April .-

7 A.M., Post Office opens for sale of Stamps, Registry of Letters, and Posting of all correspondence. 10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases.

(11.10 A.M., Letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom or to Singapore may be posted on payment of a Late Fee of 18 cents extra postage, until

ALFRED LISTER, Pestmaster General. General Post Office.

Hongkong, March 23, 1876. MAILS BY THE ENGLISH PACKET. -The English Contract Packet GHELONG, will be despatched with the Mails for

The following will be the hours of closing the Malls, do :-Wednesday, 12th April. 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes, of P.M. Post Office closes except the Night Box, which remains open all night.

Thursday, 13th April. Post Office opens for of Stamps, Registry of Letters, Posting of all correspondence. ALFRED LISTER. Postmatter General.

General Post Offica. Hongkong, March Sv, 1876, General Memoranda.

FRIDAY, April 7 :-Ivoon. - General Weekly Sale by Means Lane, Oranford & Co. 2 p.m. - Yangtere leaves for Shanghai. Patroclus leaves for London on or about

this date. Shipping Orders regarding Optional Cargo ox Neston for shipment per Agumemnon must be obtained from the Agents not later than this date.

SUNDAY, April 9:-Agamemnon leaves for Shanghai on about this date. MONDAY, April 10:-

1 p.m. -Sale of Hulk, Machinery, Rigging, &o, of Gunboat Cumoens at Goods per Olympia undelivered after this date subject to rent. Goods per Glenarney undelivered after this date subject to rent.

WEDNESDAY, April 12:-2 p. in -Quangie leaves for San Francisco. Goods per Hindostan undelivered after this date subject to rent. THURSDAY, April 13:-

of Call and Europe. 4.30 p.m. - Meeting of the Hongkovg Club at Club House. SATURDAY, April 15:-

Noon. -- English Mail leaves for Ports

3 p.m.—American Mail leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco. TUESDAY, April 18:-

4 p.m.—Choral Festival at Cathedral. TRUBSDAY, April 20:-Bowen leaves for Singapore, Brisbane, Sydney and Melbourne about this

SATURDAY, April 22:-Noon. Tenders received at Spanish Consulate for construction of Six Boilers.

Claims against the Estate of Captain Lawrence Young, deceased, must be sent in on or before this date. SUNDAY, April 30:-Claims against the Estate of George Barts

Falconer, deceased, must be sent in on or before this date. MONDAY, May 1:-3 p.m.—Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co.'s Steamer Gaelic leaves for Yokohama

and San Francisco.

TRIDAY, June 30:-Claims against the Estate of Diederich Heimsoht, Querino Antonio Gutierrez, Martin Carroll, Dora Howard, and Henry Roberts, deceased, must be proved on or before this date.

MONDAY, July 81:--Claims against the Estates of Gustav Töbler, Edward Parker, Edward Richard Bandley, Kwong Tham, Lam Kok Cheong, Lee Ah Yon, Leung Sew Fan, Man Chan, and a Chinaman, name unknown, No. 11, dechased, must be proved on or before this date.

MEMOS, FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Daylight -- Namoa leaves for Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. Noon.-French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe.

Noon. - Normanby leaves for Cooktown and Sydney. 3 p.m.—Olympia leaves for Shanghai. 3 p.m. - Glenartney leaves for Shanghai. Glamis Castle leaves for Saigon.

Lord of the Isles leaves for San Francisco

on or about this date.

the early issue of the paper.

TO ADVERTISERS. It is requested that all advertisements sent, when practicable, by 4 p.m., to allow of

The publication of this issue commence at 6.45 p.m.

MARRIAGE. At St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, on the 29th February, 1876, by the Revd. B. T. Atlay, GEORGE COLES, Esq., H. M. C. to EMILY JEAN, youngest Daughter of G. 8. Thompson, Esq. -No cards.

# THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 1876.

A FFW days ago we commented upon a

telegram stating that the Marquis of Salisbury had received a deputation upon the Opium question; that his Lordship "had denied that the present action of Her Majesty's Government stimulated the traffic in the drug in any way, and that he could not, therefore, hold out any hope of legislation on the subject." Home News, which we yesterday received in advance of the French Mail, contains a report of the proceedings on the occasion, and the utterances of Lord Salisbury, in 11 A.M., Post Office closes except for Late | this account, assume a somewhat different aspect to that indicated in the telegram. The deputation was introduced by the Earl of Shaftesbury who in the course of his remarks made the, to us, rather startling announcement that "the Indian 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office Choses Government was using every effort to extend the consumption of the drug to every part of the East." Lord Shaftesbury is one of the best meaning men in the United Kingdom, but, like most human beings, he may sometimes make assertions without due consideration, or use statements of others without taking steps to investigate their accuracy. Europe, &c., on THURSDAY, the is, at all events, to be hoped that on this occasion, in his auxiety to impress his views upon the Secretary of State for India, or through misinformation, he has over-stepped the bounds of fact. The Government of India, no doubt, encourages the growth of Opium | that will not be disputed, but that it is "lising every effort to increase its consumption in every part of the East" is a statement that will surprise many in this part of the world as well as in England, and one apis ing. The noble Lord added that "he attention of the Chinese Government. An of Coals to Tabiti and thense to Chafce in

account because he had heard different quarters that the Government was ignorant of it." is an important addition to the previous assertion of the Earl, as, if the Home Government is in ignorance on the matter, it can hardly be expected that the public at large should be cognisant of it. Whatever may be said about the Indian Government promoting the consumption of the drug in every part of the East, it certainly does not go so far as to export Opium, nor to establish agencies abroad for dealing with it on its arrival there; and really, looking at this fact, the encouragement given by the Government, to the consumption of the drug in China for instance, cannot be very great. Merely growing and preparing the drug in one country cannot be such a very great en couragement for its consumption in another opium-producing country, thousands of miles away so far as the communication is concerned. In replying to the deputation, Lord

Salisbury did not go much into argument It was to be gathered from the telegram to which we have referred; that his Lordship refused to hold out any hope of legislation on the subject, but this is not exactly so. His Lordship significant. promised the deputation that "the whole matter should receive the attention the Government." Those acquainted with the usual style of ministerial language at the reception of deputations will know that this means much the been practised. same thing as "refusing to hold out any hope of legislation;" still there is a difference between the two, as the Government has left itself open to take action in the matter, if it thinks proper to do so, which probably it will not. His Lordship, as was to be expected, intimated that the Home Government was unaware of any of the encouragement represented being given to the consumption of the drug in the East. The chief part of the reply was taken up with a reference to the "unlucky" Bill of Sir William Muir - which His Lordship described as a restrictive measure; a measure for preventing the growth, manufacture and storage of opium except on the fixed | depth of several feet. rules. "It will positively have," said the Marquis, "so far as it will have any operation at all, the effect of discouraging and diminishing the opium traffic; it is nothing but an excise measure to enable the Government to levy taxes on the tion has been issued prohibiting the opium privately grown, and it is not slaughter of animals while wet weather intended to spread the Bengal system to other parts of India, as has been represented, nor has it any reference to

that system. It is satisfactory to note one remark made by the Earl of Shaftesbury on the pocasion, namely, "that if they could not get rid of the opium traffic they should get rid of British Government's connection with it." The prohibition of the growth of opium in India is not to be expected more than the prohibition of the distilling in a general way. But the Earl of Shaftesbury and the supporters of the Anti-Opium movement at large, may reasonably expect in time to induce the Government to withdraw from its connection with the growth or traffic in the drug. This is a course of action of which we have all along recognised the feasibility, and it appears to us that the Government could wash its hands of the opium business in this way, without getting into difficulties in regard to the revenue. that, if the Opium monopoly is abolished, the growth of the drug will be undertaken by private enterprise, aud in such a case the production might be very much increased. The chief aim of the Government in regard to the culticient revenue to meet expenditure, and when that is done, it cares not to go further in encouraging the But private enterprise cultivation. would have no limit, and it is possible to conceive that if the growth of the drug were in private hands that in a few years it would be almost doubled.

A MOST unlooked-for result of the development of the printing press in this part of the globe appears to be spurious imitations of trade marks. While the | for Hongkong | 27, Vaadnick, for Nagasaki; Chinaman will not adopt some of our valuable practices and inventions, he tries to avail himself of our printing presses for defrauding his countrymen and the foreigner. The Shanghai News gives an interesting illustration of this, A Celestial accompanied by a friend walked into our contemporary's office a few days ago and presented a Russian ticket for some special make of woollen cloth, atormy, nothing but rain and heavy squalls. He enquired if the same could be exactly imitated, or if a ticket nearly from the N.E.; this morning it has turned approaching the one produced in style out fine, just like summer. The arrivals and effect could be executed. Our con have been pretty numerous. On the 80th temporary, having no desire to figure in a Criminal Court, declined to have anything to do with the fellow, and suggested that a rope might some day be presented to him. Counterfeiting trademarks is a miserable means of imposition, and it could almost be wished that our contemporary had handed the fellow over to the police.

THE SPIRIT OF THE MORNING

the establishment of a dlint in China was for Shanghai via Amoy. On Sunday, the not a new idea, having been recommended 2nd, the German brig Guelav arrived from in 1861 and again quite recently by our Chefoo, and the British barque Clyde from Representative at Peking, the Fress thinks | the same port. The latter is a new vessel that the present is a most favourable oppor- built in Newcastle, N.S.W., and it is that will have to undergo some question- tunity for pressing the suggestion upon the her first trip on the Coast, she took a cargo

felt a very great anxiety on this Sir Thomas Wade is known to be in favour of the proposed action, the Mercantile Communities throughout China are advised to "strike while the iron is hot."-Commenting on the text of the Treaty between Japan and Corea, it says it is unreasonable that the Corean ports should not be opened before October, 1877, -- a provision strongly illustrating the different temperaments of Westerns and Orientals. On the curious extra-territorial clause, to which we referred in our last, the Press takes a similar view of Japan's action in this regard, and notes the light which is thus thrown on the position of Western Treaty powers vis a vis the Chinese and Japanese. The day may come when the precaution may be unnecessary in Japan, but it is not yet, and Japan must wait patiently and make fresh advances in the paths of progress.

> THE HONGKONG NATIVE PRESS The Chinese Mail comments on the reported settlement of the Amoy-Foochow line of telegraph. It says the engagement of boys from here to learn telegraphy is

The Chung Ngoi San Po comments on the importance of the river and Canal maintenance in China, but says a great deal misappropriation of public funds has

The Universal Circu'ating Herald notices the despatch of the Anti-slavery Society to the Earl of Derby.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

THE S.S. Quang-se went round to Absideed Dock this morning.

THE recent rains are playing sad havos in the various districts near Canton, and the latest accounts from Suncoy state that some parts of this district are inundated to the

The rain in Canton not having ceased, the Prefect of Canton offered another prayer. this morning for cessation. A proclema-

WE are informed that Madame Carlotta Tas a, the pisniste, will shortly give two or three concerts in this Colony. This lady has recently been giving concerts in Calcutta, and the Indian papers speak very highly of her performances.

Masters have no doubt been much pestered and selling of spirits in England. They lately by applications from their servants both are a benefit under certain circum. for leave of absence to repair home to pay stance, and they both are fearful evils respects to the tombs of their ancestors. Indeed so many Chinamen are going backwards and forwards that the daily steamers are crowded with passengers, who on arrival at Canton are transported into various passage boats bound for their native places One of these boats, crowded with about two hundred of these devout ancestral worshippers, came to grief on the 2nd inst. The boat was bound to Shan Kan from Canton. While the boat was tacking, she was struck the same time it is well to consider by a heavy squall and capsized, and a great many of the passengers were drowned. The immediate cause of the disaster was the overcrowding of the boat, the sudden lurch of the vessel throwing the passengers on one side. Of course there is nothing in vation of the drug is to derive suffi- the Penal Code of China providing for over-loading. This clearly shows that a

Plimsoll is greatly wanted in this country. MERSES HEDGE & Co.'s Weekly Shipping Report, dated Pagoda Anchorage, 1st April, gives the following !--

Arrivals During the Week -- March 25, Fel Ho, fr m Takao; 28, Wagrien, from Amoy; 30, Yesso, from Hongkong; 31, Europe, from Shangbai. Departures During the Week - March

25, Feu Yew, for Chinkiang; 26, Douglas,

28, Fei Ho, for Amoy; 29, Gesiems, for hanghai; 31, Southern Queen, for Sing-Shipping in Port .- Chun Sheng, Midge,

April 4th.

Fu-Sheng, Wagrien, Yesso, Europe. Swatow.

The weather the last week has been very ultimo, there arrived the German barques Diamont from Amoy, Gesine Brons from Shanghai, and the British ship Channel Queen from Selgon, which had moderate weather on her passage to Breaker Point and there encountered strong gales from the N. E., and during one of the squalls carried away her main-topsail yard. On the Sist, the German beig Frohlich left for Bangkok and the German soliconer Benedicta arrived from Chefoo via Amoy. The British PEFEREING to the Courier's statement that steamer Foochow left on the 1st instant,

### Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked hi, near the Kowloong shore k., and those in the body of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.

2. From Gas Works to the Novelty Iron Works.
3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office.
4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O Co,'s Office.

5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.
6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
7. From Naval Yard to the Pier.

8. From Pier to East Point.

	Vessel's Name.	Anchor-	Captain.	Flag R	and	Tons.	Date		Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
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	Danube	2 b	Langer Clanchy	Brit.	str.	-			Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Bangkok	
	Genoa	4 1	Corrigall	Brit.	str.		April		Yuen Fat Hong	Bangkok	1 1
	Glamis Castle		Dickie	Brit.	str.		Mar.	20	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Saigon	To marrow
	Glenartney		Gulland	Brit.	str.		April	40	Adamson, Bell & Co. Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Saigon	To-morrow
٠	Hindostan		Gardner	Brit.	str.	20.00			David Sassoon; Sons & Co.	Shanghai S'apore and Calcutta	4.
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	Lord of the Isles		Cowie	Brit.	str.				Russell & Co.		
	MacGregor		Grainger	Brit.	str.				Gilman & Co.	Sale Francisco	9th, daylight
	Maharajah	1	stephenson	Brit.	str.	4			Siemssen & Co.	Saigon	the state of the state of
	Malacca		Shellard -	Brit.	str.		April		P. & O. S. N. Co.	Saigon	With Mails
	Namoa		Westoby	Brit,			Mar.			Yokohama Coast Ports	
	Normanby	1 4	Reddoll	Brit.	str.		April	20	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	S'pore and Australia	daylight
	Olympia	9	Nayel	Ger.					Siemssen & Co.		
	Pardo		4. 4		str.		April			Shanghai .	6th, 3 p.m.
	Pawtuxet		Power	Brit.	etr.	763 280	April		Landstein & Co.	Saigon	7th, 4 p.m.
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	Volga		Nomdedeu	Fch.	str.		April			Saigon	\$17.542. BAT 57
	Yesso	51	Punchard		str.		April	_	Messageries Maritimes	Yokohama	With Mails
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	Bon to			Brit.	. gh.	727	Mar.		Rozario & Co.	Vancouver's Island	
	Bua Caao		Wesenberg	Ger.	bk.	542	Mar.		Siemssen & Co.		1
	Charter Oak		Lange	Siam.		340	Mar.	-	Chinese		- H
	Christina A. P.		Smith	Amer.		963	Nov.		Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	New York	10.00
		1 .	Federico	Amer.		175	Jan.	8	Order	******************	Repairing
	Christian		Stehr	Ger.	Bch.	280	April		Eduard Schellhass & Co.		
	Colombo Edward James		Hener	Brit.	bk.	364	Feb.		Russell & Co.	Honolulu	4. 4.4
			Forbes	Amer.		529	Mar.		Rozario & Co.	Portland (Oregon)	
	F. B. Drews		Vorsatz	Ger.	bk.	630	Mar.		Wm. Pustau & Co.		4.5
	Fanny		Rousal	Fch.	вb.		Mar.		Landstein & Co.	Bangkok	
	Forward.	, ,	strachan	Brit.	bk.	- 748	Mar.		Hozario & Co.	Vancouver's Island	
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	Jonathan Chase		Curtia	Amer.		and the same of the	Mar.	20	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	an Francisco	4.6
	Lathley Rich		Lewis	Amer,			Feb.		Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	San Francisco	
,	Manila II.		Günner	Ger.	bk.	515	April	4	Siemssen & Co.	, , , , ,	
	Margarite	-	Owens	Brit,	ah.	864	Mar.	17	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	San Francisco	
	Mary Whitridge		Cutler	Amer.	sh.	862	Mar.	-16	Russell & Co.	San Francisco	
	Minna		Tohren	Ger.	bk.	and the second second	April		Wm. Pustau & Co.		
	Montego		Griffitha	Brit.	bk.			26	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	Newchwang	
	Nicoline		Ahlmann	Ger.	bk.		Feb.	14	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Hamburg	
	Nightingale		Palmer	Amer.			Mar.	17	Russell & Co.	San Francisco	
,	Noemi .		Aucam	Fch.	bk.	347	Mar.	28	Carlowitz & Co.	1 10 10	
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	Pallas		Ballehr	Ger.	bk.				Siemssen & Co.	Tientsin	
	Samuel G. Reed		White	Amer.	sh.		Dec.	18	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	Portland (Oregon)	4.0
			Cotter	Brit.	nh.		Mar.	30	Russell & Co.	San Francisco	2.00
	Sydenham	4	Bristow	Brit.	eh.		Feb.	26	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	San Francisco	
	Villa de Rivadavia		Camus	Span.	bg.	261	Mar.	17	Brandao & Co.	Manila	
	Wealthy Pendleton		Blanchard	Amer.		809	Mar.	30	Captain	1 .	
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	Haze		Wilkinson	Amer.	sh.	664	Mar.	2	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	New York	14
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	Marion		T MP	Amer.		· ·			Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Tientsin	2.2
	CANTON		3 ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' '	P. 193					,		
	Chinkiang	vi	Hogg	Brit.	str.	798	April	4	Siemssen & Co.	Sbanghai	
	Yangtszə		schultze	Brit.	str.	783.	April	1	Siemssen & Co.	Shanghai	7th, 2 p.m.
	Yungching			Chi,		661			C. M. S. N. Co.		

## Men-of-war in Hongkong Harbour.

Vessel's Name.	Anchor-	Flag.	Class.	Tons.	Guns.	H. P.	Date of Arrival.	Commander.
Ariadne Ashuelot Audacious Flamer Frolic Hertha Kestrel Meeanee Palos Thistle Victor Emanuel Vigilant	6 h 6 h 6 h 6 6 h 6 h 7 h	German American British British German British British British British American British British	corvette corvette iron-clad (flag-ship) aux. naval hospital gun vessel corvette gun vessel military hospital gunboat gun vessel Commodore's flag ship despatch vessel	1400 1100 6750 462 2200 462 2591 306 464 3087 650	 6 14  4 19 4 	700 800 100 400 100	Mar. 14 Mar. 31 Feb. 27 Mar. 31 Mar. 15 Mar. 28 Feb. 27 Mar. 25	Kühne E. O. Matthews Colomb D. M. Insp. Gen. Morgan C. E. Buckle Thurr C. B. Theobald Capt. Becker W. R. Bridgeman Francis Stirling Commodore Parish H. C. D. Ryder

FOOCHOW	SHIPPING	IN	PORT.
1 1	April 1, 1876		4.

Chun Sheng British steamer Europe . Fu Sheng for Shanghai British steamer British gunboat for Newchwang Midge Wagrien \*Yesso for Hongkong

## SHANGHAI SHIPPING IN HARBOUR.

Mar. 24, 1876. MERCHANT STEAMERS.

Aden Chinese Fire Queen American Foochow British Formosa British

Fychow Geelong American British Adele Genkai Maru Japanese British Glenearn \*Hankow British Honar. American \*Hoogly French Howsang Chinese Hupeh \*Ningpo American British British Patroclus

Plymouth Rock

\*Quang-se British \*Ashuelot Shingking American \*Kearsarge Szechuen American \*Teheran British British Monocacy Tunsin \*Tennessee Thalia \* Since left port, or arrived at Hongkong.

American

American schooner German schooner Auguste Reimers British barque British barque British schooner Ceres Ellen Browse Freetrader Danish barque British barque Kronprindsessen Madame Demorest Titania for New York Uranus Norw, brig British ship Windhover

MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS.

MEN-OF-WAR. American corvette American corvette La Clocheterie French corvette American corvette American corvette British corvette \*Yantic-American gun vessel

ballast. The German barques Ade'ine Ma. rianne and Rebecca, and German schoone, Rebecka arrived from Chefoo yesterday. The British steamer Estepona left yesterday with over:500 passengers and a generale cargo for Singapore, from thence she goes to Saigon, and thence either to Hongkong or back to this port. The American schooner Samos leaves to-day for Taku, and returns to this port via Chefoo or Newchwang. The German barque Andreas arrived this morning from Chefoo, and the German Atalanta from Shanghai. The barques Charlotte Andrews, Hamburg and Eaglet are expected to-day or to-morrow.

#### Police Intelligence.

(Before the Hon. C. May.) 5th April, 1876.

ALLEGED INDECENT ASSAULT.

James Martin, quarter-master on board the steamer Glamis Castle, was charged with having assaulted a woman in an indecent manner. The complainant was, however, not in attendance. The defendant stated that the woman seized hold of him get rid of her.

DESTROYING TREES.

Chun Among, a farmer, was brought up on remand, for cutting some bamboos from some ground near the Coffee Plantation. The defendant said he had the owner's permission to do so. - Wong Ashup stated that launched at Mamoi on the 28th instant, he owned the ground; he had been occupy- in the forencon. We are informed that ing it for nearly 20 years, and had paid this vessel has been designed and built rent. The case was then remanded for entirely by Chinese. without any foreign enquiries to be made. - Inspector Thomp- aid whatever. If such is actually the case, son stated to-day that he had ascertained it is by no means easy to account for at the Government Offices that the ground the presence of so many foreign employes at on which the bamboo was growing did not belong to the Government. It was rented reconcile such a statement with the reported from Mr George Daudell, for whom Mesers Jardine, Matheson & Oo. are agents, The defendant was therefore discharged.

RETURNING FROM DEPORTATION. Cheong Aloi was brought up for the above offence. The defendant was proved to have been five times in gaol, and on the last conviction, he was ordered to be deported. The Magistrate sent the defendant, who urged that he only came here to worship his father's tomb, to twelve months' hard labour.

FORGHOW. (Heruld, 30th March.)

It is reported that one of the Arsenal gunboats has been despatched, within the ourrent week, to look after the balance of the Anna's cargo. - Rather like locking the stable door after the horse is stolen!

H. E. the Futai has ordered an early inspection of all the troops in garrison, including the foreign drilled battalion. Owing, however, to the camp being at present underwater, it is doubtful when the review will

We are informed that the recent entertainment by the crew of H. M. S. Midge, in aid of the Seamen's Hospital, yielded a nett sum of \$120-which amount has been handand to the Honorary Secretary of the abovenamed charity.

The river has been unusually high during the past week, owing to heavy rain up-country. For several days all traffic above the bridge has been suspended, and it is difficult to say when it will be resumed—as there is little sign of any break in the weather.

The Agent for the Eastern and Australian Mail Steam Co., announces that one of the Company's steamers will load at this port for the Colonies direct, at the commencement of the Tea Season, and that other steamers will probably follow-each month.

The Futai-who is a native of the Kwang Tung province-proceeded in great state to the Canton "Joss House" on Tuesday last. He was attended by a large retinue of servants and officials, in whose presence he performed the kow-tow in front of the principal altar.

It is reported that a large quantity Pehling district ten will this season be packed on the spot. Hitherto, it has been the practice to bring the rough sun-dried leaf in bags to this place and pack it here—a practice frequently resulting in considerable delay, and injury to the leaf.

In a recent issue we noticed that a blight had fallen on many of the Mok-lee plantations in the neighbourhood of the Settlement. Further reports, from districts beyond Foochow, lead us to believe that the mischief has spread, and that there will be a scarcity of the flower during the ensuing season.

The gunbosts Fu Sheng and Chien Sheng are still under British colours, owing to the refusal of the native authorities to pay the balance of purchase money. Another trial trip will probably take place, with a view to settling the dispute. Should this fail, the gunboats will, we understand, be ordered to Hongkong for sale on account of the contractors.

One of the most severe thunder-storms experienced for some time back passed over the Settlement on Sunday last, between 12.30 and 1 p.m. The gloom was dense enough to necessitate the almost general use of lamps and candles for at least an hour. Fortunately, the damage to foreign property was very slight, but we hear that several native houses in the city and suburbs were struck by lightning, in one instance with fatal results to an old man living near Ponesang.

We hear that a Mandarin in charge of the new forts at Tai Wan-fu has got into serious troubles. It will be within the recollection of our readers that the forts in question lately fell in-having been built of the most timey material, chiefly mud with a facing of common brick.—The contractor was, not unreasonably, suspected of dishonesty, and mprisoned; but it is now asserted that the official in charge had also a share in the plunder, having "squeezed" the trifling sum of Tls. 14,000. Our correspondent is or opinion that a particular Mandarin's head will be very cheap ere long.

glory, towering above the house-tops; and colours again. They were last displayed, we revel in knowing how the concession now chronicled was wrested from an economical Government!

Important despatches from Peking have it is asserted, been received by the high officials during the last few days. It is believed that the Central Government has made an urgent appeal to the authorities of this province for assistance in quelling the rebellions which have broken out in the North-Western and Southern parts of the Empire. At this moment there are two most formidable insurrections to be dealt with. One in Kansuh in which the Mahomedans principally figure; and the other in Kwangsi. The last named is said to be the more serious affair, and it is believed that a very strong effort on the part of the Imperial Government will be required to crush it. It will be recollected that the Taiping by the hair, and he had some difficulty to rebellion-perhaps the most sanguinary on record-originated in Kwangsi. Wo shall await further news with much interest.

Another gun-boat named the Yes Sing (藝和), or, literally translated, "A ship newly built by our own scholars," the Arsenal; and still more difficult to engagement of a further number of foreign artisans for future service at that establish ment. The Chinese would, we think, better by following the example of Peter the Great in learning foreign sciences and practical workmanship in foreign countries. By so doing, they would probably bring their people to a higher stage of perfection, and would certainly obtain cheaper and better vessels than they are now building with imported labour and material.

HANGGHOW. I was out a few days ago in a little country town about forty miles from here, and was somewhat surprised to find a proclamation in front of the petty officer's yamen, the effect that the District Magistrate had been authorised by the Prefect, who had been authorised by the Provincial Treasurer, who had been authorised by the Provincial Governor, who had been authorised by the Governor-General, who had been authorised by the Tsung-li Yamen, to publish that, henceforth, foreigners furnished with passports were not to be annoyed in any part of the Middle Kingdom, where they would conduct themselves properly .- N. C. Daily

Obinese steamers Yung-ching and Fuyew have arrived from Foochow during Japanese from Formosa. The men em- old debtsid getting him some decent barked in the Yung-ching on Tuesday; she | clothes, athen the reunited couple went started on Wednesday and arrived here on Friday. During the whole of that time, not a grain of rice was served out to them ; and alithe food they had was a few rice cakes which they carried slung on their backs. It is to be presumed the officers, calculating they would be sick all the way. thought rice would be a superfluity. -The Viceroy is expected here this week, and sweeping and garnishing is the order of the day. -N. C. D. News.

## TIENTSIN.

Another instance of the impertment arrogance and folly of the Chinese Government has recently occurred. After the exchange of treaties between the Peruvian and Chinese Government, H. E. Dr Elmore presented the Emperor with some articles of interest brought from Pern. They were accepted, as was supposed, in the same spirit in which they were given. Judge, then, of the surprise of the giver, when he learned of its being circulated among the Chinese that they were tribute sent by

The "final" (") trial of the Dredging Machine is to take place soon, just above the city, to which end it was towed from the mouth of the Powder Mill creek to the place of trial, to-day. One would suppose that the work it has been doing for some time past, would satisfy any reasonable mind: but it is currently reported among the Chinese that it is comparatively value-'ess. Then the Governor General has not seen it operate, and doubtless he wishes to see if it can succeed where the French machine failed. His excellency has but

recently returned from Pauting-fu. We are reliably informed that an Arsen. or Armory is in process of erection near Tsinen fu, the capital of Shantung. seems not improbable that the Government may soon be running steamers to that city. The water in the river is amply sufficient.

Heavy winds for the last fe - days have raised the dust in clouds-almost to suffocation. This afternoon, a light and refreshing shower has fallen, and the sky is still overcast.-The water has been very low this spring so that not only have the steamers had to lighter across the bar, but in some instances they have found it difficult to

ascend the river We understand that the Japanese Minister, Mr Mori, is expected at Tientain soon. Whither away, we are not informed. \_N. C. D. Notis.

March 20th.

## A STORY FROM SHANSE

confined to Western countries, and we begin silved for hair pins, but only in pin up themselves. We saw no public baths far from being the mindless puppers they Chike copper and tin used in the the Coreans do not baths. In the warmer are generally represented. Some time ago course from Japan, and the former days of stimmer they go to the fiver or seaa wealthy tobacco-grower from Bhance is the in the coins. The Coreans shore to wash themselves, and in the hotel arrived in Shanghai on business, bringing usefor many purposes for which we where we stayed there was not a chi a thing business be, fresh from the country and quite the but both pass as of the same Coreans keep their persons, and for the For several days past there has been more dangled with the megnificence of the model rad

or less excitement on "The Hill," in front settlement, found no trouble whatever in ercised over a most portentous event. We luctance that he accompanied him back to of coal for this purpose. will you be? What do you know of the the reigning monarch. world? How can you, an unprotected woman, go about all alone?"-"Give me thirty cannon. The guns round the city throw thousand taels and leave me to act," rejoined four or five pound shot. None of them this cool young lady, who was not much were on carriages, but are merely placed on over twenty. The papa-in-law said he would stones. They are fired with tow ropes, give her three hundred thousand if she would and a place is provided for the safety of the a dogged energy which would have comonly get him back his son; and the arrange- man who acts as gunner. The position of proceeded to shave her forehead and dis- that several men would be required to maguise herself in male clothes, and accom- nage each one of them. The forts are panied by a single old servant set out usually on the sides of hills, and are loopfor Shanghal. On her arrival she seems | holed for three or four guns. of novelty to the fullest degree. The handplaces of entertainment, and the money circulated freely. All this time however her search was fruitless. At length, outside husband. b told her he was the most brought under cultivation. wretched of nen : that his father was a the week, each with about 900 men-1 can and utterashamed, he fell at her feet in the midst of waste land. The French hardly call them soldiers-from the ever- crying, aknocked his head to her upon | would not have disturbed them unless they victorious force sent last year to drive the the floor. o time was lost in paying his had known they were royal tombs. At the

## COREA

home agaigether. - Shanghai Courier.

DescribiCorea, a writer in the Hochi Shimbun 8!-

The dolic animals are dogs, horned cattle, for horses and pigs, and differ but slighfrom those of Japan. cattle ands are very fat and the hides of the for are among the exports of the country, is horses are about the size of our coltsween one and two years old. or of the f China, and therefore only about oried of the size of an Arab pigeons dark blue colour with white preasts, a bills and long tail featherswillows human dwellings and were called by people Corean crows. The number parrows appears less than in its exce, and aver that it is esten by

Gommum orientalis) of an excellent qualitys in the country, and its oil is largel in cooking, eight or nine out of eve dishes being prepared with it. It is sed for lamp-fuel. No rape is grownton is probably to be found, but the of the country we saw are not si to the growth of the plant.

It is said that there are coal mines in the of the British Consulate. The public mind enjoying himself amazingly. When his fa- country, but, strange to say, dear as fuel is, -native and foreign-has been much ex- ther's visit was over, it was with great re- the Coreans do not seem to know the value

"What steps can I take ?" said the old man, were prior to the arrival of Commodore | the gallant gay Lotherio is, but the Rajah brokenly: "he has been away nearly three Perry, as at that time each Daimio had his years now, and there is no knowing what men drilled as he chose, while the Coreans may have happened to him. He may be had one central government and one army. dead." "Yes, and he may not be dead, too," Their dress seems well enough for fine retorted the damsel. "I shall go and look | weather, but bad for rain. It is said that for my husband myself." "You?" replied | they have only adopted the use of the sword the old man, astonished, "why what good recently in obedience to the command of

The various fortresses are mounted with

to have known by instinct what sort of In going up the Kokwa river to get into places to look for her husband in, and the Kanko river, we found the current very her experiences must have had the charm | strong, running between steep banks and very dangerous for small boats. In the some, richly-dressed youth with pockets Kanko river the current is not so rapid. lined with money, was well received at all and large blocks of ice floating down stream the restaurants, gambling-houses and other struck against us in a rather dangerous

Buddhism prevails, but the priests do not appear to possess as much power as in Japan. a house, ragged, dirty, and half-starved, It is sait that there is a large Buddhist she saw a being who rather reminded her of temple called Hougioi at Torai to the north her out husband. Casting a careless glance of Fusan, but there are none at Kokwa at him as she passed, she turned in at the The priests dress in the same way as our door, and calling for some refreshment own, and attend the death-beds of the people began to cha with the inmates. The place but have nothing to do with their burial, as was doing wal, they told her; they were in Japan. The reason appears to be that the growing rich; lots of people from the coun- superstition of Fung Shuey prevails, and try came there. Shanse; why, that poor | bodies are interred in the paddy fields, in devil crouning at the door was a Shanse- gardens, woods or on the hills, or wherever man, and doe as rich and gay as the young | the inclination of the family may dictate, gentleman imself. The 'young gentleman' so that there are no regular burying places laughed carlessly, paid for his refreshment It is said that stone monuments are erected and saunted away. The next day he - to men of distinction, but under ordinary she, rather-returned, and offered to pur- circumstances a heap of earth is thrown up chase the por Shanse man of the proprietor. over the grave, and when this has disappeared The bargainvas soon struck, and then she by the operation of natural causes, which it entered into inversation with her miserable does in thirty or forty years, the soil is again

It is said that when the French went wealthy preman in the North ! that he Corea, they destroyed the city of Kokwa by had a wifafrome; but that he had irre- fire, and took possession of some precious trievably sgaced himself and did not dare relies which had been buried with certain atif the honoured one were a of the ancestors of the Corean kings. We Shause mi, rould he take a letter for him | went to the site of these tombs. They are to his fall? . "It would probably be two in number, are situated about half way better to to you in person," rejoined his up a hill in anortherly direction from Kokwa The beckoning him to follow her and are encircled with walls three feet high I to the hotel where she was and from twonty to thirty feet in circumferstaying : k off her cap, and asked if he ence. On the tombstone is inscribed. "The indeed duot recognise her? The un- tomb of Mansenden." They resemble the fortunatellow saw that it was his wife; tombs of the samurat in Japan, and stand same time it is wholly improbable that they did know this, so that the story that they disturbed the graves and carried off the valuables contained in them was probably raised by some of the Coreans, who knew that their kings lay buried there, and when Kokwa was in confusion and pressed by the French, dug up and carried off the treasure and afterwards imputed the outrage to the

invaders. than we do. The beef and pork are excellent. also a mast and bowsprit, and from the The oil of goma and garlic are greatly used in cooking and are even mixed with rice. The Coreans seem to sat but little fish, as of the fowl; messes of rice, betelnut, towe saw no fishmongers' shops, and when we bacco, leaf cups full of water and various were entertained by the officials there was inodorous fluids, some flowers, a few coins not a single dish of fish served. At Kokwa we occasionally saw in the shops a small up together. At the bow was a scallop Kokwa. | we saw birds of the size of quantity of fish looking like herrings, but shell with a small wick and some oil actthis was all we met with We could not ing as a lamp which had been lighted, discover whether fish is searce on account of but had been blown out by the wind. On possibly d of jay. They build in the Kokwa eing near the mouth of the muddy the poop lay a neat, small beg of rice. Yellow River, or whether the Coreans do At each of the four corners of the plat-

not like it. Japan. Id is very scarce in all parts of entertained with a repast at which music were a couple of plantain leaves on which the coulwhich we visited. We saw was performed, and I will give a brief de- there were small representations of alligaonly pinto cedar, oak, plum or cherry scription of the dishes served. There was tors, turtles, eels and other wriggling trees, exing those in the compound of a sort of confectionary made of sugar, flour horrors, modelled out of what seemed to be the Jap Agency at Fusan. But the and oil, cut into squares about two inches flour. We were told that the object of this Coreand that such trees were to be each way; a great heap of boiled eggs; a structure was to save the life of some sick found ther parts of the country. pudding of flour, goma and boney; dried man. The demons who had entered into Orange seem very scarce in Corea, and persimmons; pine-seeds; honey-like (sic) him and caused his pains were apparently their frepurchased from our people at food covered with roasted rice painted red presumed by the Malays to be carnal and Tsushin ea does not seem to grow in an white, maccaroni soup with fowl; boil- epicurean devils, who would be tempted to the country do the Coreans appear to ed legs of pork, and wine with everything. leave the afflicted man and board the ships be acqid with the taste of it. The The wine usually drunk by the Coreans is to partake of the sybaritic repast there chief de an infusion of dried giuseng, a strong spirit, but on this occasion was of provided for them. By the time they had or gined dried orange peel. When about the potency of Japanese sake of in- linished and recovered from the probably ginger pt be obtained -it does not ferior quality. The dishes were of earthen ensuing indigestion they would be too far off grow frea-honey is used instead. ware like the Imari yaki (a kind of por- to return to the sick man. Any Malay who The to which we saw exposed for sale celain) of Japan, or the goshi of China. stopped the raft or touched any of the was of dark colour. Cores produces The table used on the occasion was square, comestibles placed thereon would straightway rice of the same quality as that grown rudely made and painted with persimmon incur the disease under which the unforin Jaj The people are very proud of juice. Oiled paper was used for a table- tunate man had laboured, on whose behalf vessels. The wine was served from sopper the preparations had been made,—Correst pondent, Penang Gazette.

While we were at the hotel we were served with food on sommon Japanese trays. We presented our hosts with some dried ventson, sake and oranges, at which they were much pleased and said they would send them to the King.

We saw no wine shops, geishas (singing Copbably possesses mines. The girls) or the like. It is said that all natura bills tre of grass and trees and the sous become priests, and daughters prosoil illry, so that it is thought there stitutes; but we could not discover whether may job mineral wealth. But the this was actually the case. We saw some iron are the only ones worked ! Japanese hair-oil which they said was used coppliand silver, if such metals exist, by the women. The custom of excluding are thiched It is possible that this wemen from the public gaze seems to exist has from a foolish notion that their in Cores as in China, and it is said that disciplid be prejudicial to the nation, even among themselves visitors are not and the fing shuey—a superstition permitted to see the wife. Thus we can while in Corea. For this reason live no description of the Corean women. STRONG minded ladies are by no means no or ornaments are to be seen | Men do not use oil for the hair, which they to think that even the women of China are smalltities, and this comes from or hair-dressing shops, and we heard that dirty has of their once white plothes.

THE PERAK EXPEDITION. Muda objected and demanded the fair back again. He was told that when he gave up the murderer who is, it is known, harboured. in his village, the frail one would be restored. The answer was his departure.

Since he left Saigong has been quieter o' nighter He used to have musical entertainments, or noisy orgies rather, nightly, and perched on a four-poster bedstead noted as his own conductor, using instead of the bâton a cracked table-bell on which he beat time with untiring persistency. The hope of his house blew on a horn with

manded our admiration had not its discordment was made forthwith. The girl then the guns was such as to lead us to infer ant vehemence deafened all our perceptions. When his wind was gone, and it is with sadness I record that it lasted extraordinarily well, he laid down his horn and yelled which was a sign for the multitude to do likewise, and they were not behind hand, When his lungs would stand the strain no longer his enthusiasm prompted him to scrape a stick across the bamboo flooring, a feat which was rewarded by the admiration that beamed from every feature of his fond papa. Such chorus, however, such a very thunderstorm of melody was too much as a permanency even for Malayan nerves, and the interludes were filled up by the maids of honour with dances and vocal solos, while an extraordinary man, an Abyssinian, who, believe, used to perform before the late Mr. Birch, played most wonderful tunes on his nose and acted the buffoon generally. But this is all over. Yusuf is gone and with him has gone his talented troupe.

Sunday, March 19th.—This place is very quiet now. The last of the 10th came in on Friday. It was about eleven when the baggage guard got in and the sun was very No dhoolies or elephants had been sent Bank, 6 months' sight, ... along with the detachment to pick up any men who might be obliged to fall out. The | On Calcutta, Bank demand, ... R 221 result was that an unfortunate man named Tolty, a sergeant, got a stroke of the sun in consequence of which he died that night. This is rather a gloomy beginning of the Bar Silver, 17, dwts. B. occupation. The Malays are fishing away as vigorously as ever and have begun spearing by torch-light again, which they had Gold Leaf. almost entirely given up for the past two. months. There is no news of the where-

and brought into camp. Five or six plantain stems were fastened together by stakes driven through them and at each side of the raft were small red flags. Fixed into this raft were four young trees about eight feet high, with the foliage remaining the top and forming a square. About three feet from the raft was a framework made of green bamboo, round which on the outside a rough kind of grass was plaited, the end of the grass hanging down all round and each grass having some article of food attached to it in a piece of bamboo, folded leaf or something of the kind. Most of this stuff was rice prepared in various ways, and at opposite corners there were respectively the legs and wings of a chicken. On the framework a boat was placed. It was furnish-The Coreans eat more meat and fat stuff ed with eight oars and a rudder and had truck flew a black flag. Inside the boat were various abominations; the entrails with the Malay cock on them all heaped form was a small white flag which had been When the treaty was signed we were partially burnt. Below lying on the raft

## THE SILVER QUESTION.

Is silver, in the language of Trade Cir-Feb. 1, Nearchus (str.), from Cardiff to culars, about to become "a drug in the market?" The New York Herald announces that a sample of the produce of Nevada, in Feb. 2, Evelyn, from London to Hongkong. the shape of only one month's yield of bullion from the two great "Bonansa" mines, is to be on view at the Centennial Exhibition in Philadelphia in June next,

and will be worth \$10,000,000 :---"When our eastern contemporaries." says the Herald, " many of whom still scoff at the Big Bonanas, shall have seen fifteen railroad cars unload their 8,504 silver bricks, weighing 150 tons, all the product of a single month, they will probably conclude that these Nevada silver mines are not to be ensered at after all. We hope no accident may occur to prevent this magnificent idea from being successfully carried out. Buch a mass of silver bullion was probably never seen in the world, and the remarkable exhibition will make the fame of Nevada's his son with him. Now the young lad nad on the poles to the plenty of money at his disposal, and while coil two sizes, and are called gehis father was engaged in the transaction of neutral Toules. One is larger than counts for the filthy state in which the secomplished we have no doubt. The ore accomplished we have no doubt. The ore deposit in the two mines named is the greatest in extent and richness ever known

in the world's history. There is no ques Qualla Kangsa, Monday, March 13th, tion as to the abundance of the supply; it 1876.—The country is settling down. At is only a question of hoisting and milling present the Kota Lama men are apparently facilities. The C. and C. shaft will doubtallude to the erection of a flagstaff within his native place; and highly delighted was There is little worthy of record here in engaged in rebuilding their huts. Numbers less be in operation before next May, and the British consular grounds. There is no he when, a year or two afterwards, the old respect of the Corean military forces, of them are daily to be seen at a spit of with that the Gould and Curry, and if mistake at all about it; there it is, in all its gentleman determined to let bim pay a second though I will say a few words about them. | land which runs out into the river near necessary, the Ophir, and there will be amvisit to this agreeable spot. He arrived here | Some fifteen or sixteen hundred men came | their mosque. Tomtoming goes on frequent- | ple hoisting capacity. As to the ore. The we are positively assured that the flag will with his pockets full, and sadly neglected down to Kokwa when we were there. They ly and they even have got a war-gong still. Consolidated Virgina is now hoisting daily be hoisted before many months go by. It the business on which he had been sent. He wore wooden hats and coats of a reddish The other day when Rajah Mahmoud paid about six hundred tons of gre, which mills gambled madly night after night, and rapid- colour with wide sleeves and bore neither them a visit they fired a salute. Abdullah about \$100 per ton, making the monthly ly lost all his money. At length he was e- armour nor helmets. They were armed by the way, has been proceeding in a rather yield \$1,800,000. Soon after the fire, when duced to such a pitch of destitution that, with match-locks of a small size like those high-handed way with Mahmoud. He has the hoisting works were destroyed, and the not daring to show his face at home, and used by our Japanese hunters, and with some grudge against him and after vainly only resource was the Gould and Corry indeed without the means of getting there, swords, the blades of which, in all proba- trying to persuade our troops to punish him, shaft, it became necessary to send up richer he was fain to accept the post of doorkeeper | bility, are imported from Japan. The he took the law into his own hands and ore to compensate for the deficiency in in an establishment which had been the scene number of banners is large in proportion to burnt Mahmoud's house and carried off his quantity. The Brunswick mill, it will be of some of his most discreditable orgies. the number of men, and some had charac- wives and children. Apropos, the Rajah remembered, returned a fraction over \$175 Meantime his father waited, and the prodi- ters upon them, the top of the colour-poles | Muda Yusuf has left Sayong in a huff and | per ton for all the ore worked there during gal did not return; till one day, his daughter being ornamented with pheasants feathers: returned to his own Kampong, Saigong. the month of Nov. All mining experts in-law-for the hopeful youth was married The men appeared to be of all ages; some One of his women has been carried off or has who have visited the Consolidated Virginia's -asked him whether he did not intend to were young, but many were quite old, fled to some one here and is known to be in lower levels know that, if it had been necestake any steps to recover his lost son. They appear better drilled than our troops Qualla Kangsa. It is not quite certain who sary, ore running up into the thousands per ton could have been taken out. If the daily ore product were increased to eight hundred tons of a slightly better grade of ore than that worked at the Brunswick mill in Nov. -say \$200 per ton-the bullion yield would be \$4,800,000. A few hundred tons of selected rock from the richer sections would give the \$5,000 without any trouble. As to the California mine, everybody in Virginia knows that it is considered even richer than the Consolidated Virginia. It contains a mountain of glittering ore, hitherto un touched, except so far as was necessary in running the drifts and cross-cuts to prepare it for working. All it waits for is the mills. A thousand men can be set to work in the mine at any time, and if the mills are furnished, California's quota, \$5,000,000, will certainly be forthcoming.

Quotations.

Hongxong, April 5, 1876. OPIUM.-New Patna, cash... 6271 Old Patna, cash .... 615 a 6171 credit, 620 a 6221 New Benares, cash, 6221 a 627 credit, 6274 a 6827 Old Benares, cash, 585 New Malws, cash, 580 credit, 585 Allowance Taels, 82 a 48 Old Malwa, cash, 585 Allowance Tacls, 16 a 32 SALTPETRE. Exchange. Fredit, 6 months' sight. ... 8/108 Bombay, demand. .. Shanghai, demand. .. Shanghai, 30 days' sight Mexicans, English Sovereigns. Australian Sovereigna. ... Discount, ... The other morning a curious erection came Shares. floating down the river, well illustrating the longkong Bank, par. mixture of Buddhism there is in the Mai.K. Fire Ins. Co., \$5021 homedanism of the Malays. It was secured China Fire Ins. Co., \$158 Victoria Fire Ins. Co., \$70 H.K. & W. Dock Co., 45 % dis. Ohina Traders' lns. Co., \$1660 Union Ins. Society of Canton, \$650 Chinese Insurance Co., \$205 North China Ins. Co., Tis. 850 O. & J. Marino Ins. Co., Tla. 58 Yangteze Ins. Association, Tis. 635 H.R. O. & M. S.-boat Oo., 7 dis. Union S. Navigation Co., Tla. -Shanghai Steam N. Co., Tla. 72 Hongkong Hotel Co., \$522 dis. Ohinese Imperial Loan, £106 Temperature. Honemone, April 5, 1876. (Taken at Mesers. Palconer & Co.'s Premises, Queen's Road.) THERMOMETER-9 A.M., 4 P. M. Maximum, Minim, over night, BAROMETER, -9 A.M.,

Shipping Intelligence. HOME SHIPPING. The following is taken from the latest London Papers :-

DEPARTURES. Jan. 6. Annie Braginton, from New York to Shanghai, Jan. 6, Ottercaps, from Cardiff to Honge Jan. 6, Lyoka Till, from Cardiff to Hong-

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Jan. 10, Echo, from London to Hongkong.

Hongkong. Jan. 17, Onward, from Liverpool to Honge Jan. 19, Sophie, from Cardiff to Hongkong,

Jan. 20, Forward Ho, from London to Yokohama, do. Jan. 22, Flintshire (str.), from London to

Jan. 24, Victoria (str.), from Liverpool to Jan. 31, Lord Macaulay, from Newport to Hongkong.

Hongkong. Feb. 4, Undine, from London to Shanghai. Feb. 6, Paul Marie, from London to

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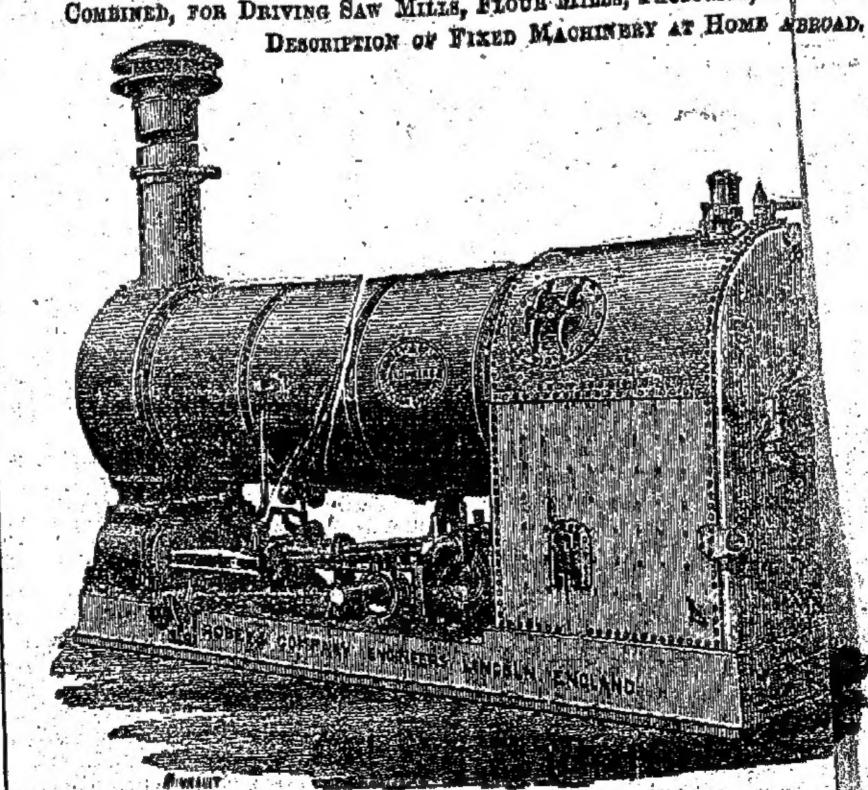
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